

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

At page 4, replace the current description for Figure 2 with the following:

-- Figure 2. (a) Deduced amino acid sequence of mouse p193 (SEQ ID NO:2). Underlined sequences correspond to the peptides identified by PSD mass spectrometry. Bold sequence corresponds to the BH3 domain homology. (b) Comparison of the BH3 domain in p193 (SEQ ID NO:5) and several other apoptosis regulatory proteins including Hrk (SEQ ID NO:6); Bim (SEQ ID NO:7); Bik (SEQ ID NO:8); Bid (SEQ ID NO:9); Blk (SEQ ID NO:10); EGL-1 (SEQ ID NO:11); BAD (SEQ ID NO:12); and BNIP-3 (SEQ ID NO:13). --

At page 12, line 28, please delete the current sequence entry and replace it with the following:

-- Leu Lys Ala His Gly Asp Glu (SEQ ID NO:5) --